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PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

TRANSMITTAL FORM (37 C.F.R. §1.114)

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This is a **request for continued examination** under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (RCE) of pending application Serial No. 09/944,915, filed on August 31, 2001, entitled DATA TRANSMISSION METHOD

The following constitute the submission **required** by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(a) and is attached:

- ☒ Amendment After Final dated October 29, 2007.
☐ Information Disclosure Statement
☐ Drawing Changes
☐ Other Submission: _____

1. The filing fee for this RCE and the required amendment/submission is calculated below. The fee below is calculated based on the status of the claims after the entry of the attached Amendment/submission. The fee for any new additional claims is included with this RCE, the fee for previously entered additional claims having already been paid.

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	MINUS	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT NUMBER EXTRA	RATE (\$) PER CLAIM	FEE (\$)
BASIC FEE						810.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	26		27	0	50.00	0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	7		7	0	200.00	00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					360.00	
				Number extra must be zero or larger	TOTAL	810.00
	If Applicant is a small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here.					SMALL ENTITY TOTAL 00

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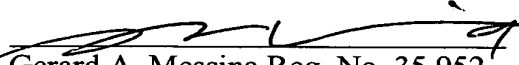
2. Please charge the required RCE and submission filing fee of **\$810.00** to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon LLP**, deposit account number **11-0600**.
3. Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time in order to extend the period set by the Final Office Action dated August 31, 2007. The extended period expires on December 31, 2007. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. § 1.13(a) extension fee of **\$120.00** to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon LLP**, deposit account number **11-0600**.
4. A duplicate of this transmittal form is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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